

BOND No. BX0071948

**BOND OF NOTARY PUBLIC
ALABAMA**

STATE OF ALABAMA

 COUNTY



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Shelby Cnty Judge of Probate, AL
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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

THAT WE, Stacey Bearden of 299 Highway 438, Wilsonville, AL 35186
as Principal and, Jet Insurance Company, a North Carolina corporation,
as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Alabama in the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars
(\$50,000.00), for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors,
administrators, and assigns, firmly by these presents, and we hereby waive our right to claim personal property exempt under the
laws of Alabama.

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH, That whereas the above bound Principal was duly appointed to
the office of Notary Public for the State at Large on the 5 day of Sept, 2025; for the term of four
years in the State of Alabama.

NOW IF THE SAID Principal shall faithfully discharge all duties of said office during his/her continuance therein, then the
above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

Sealed with our seals, and dated this 13th day of August, 2025.

Jet Insurance Company

Stacey Bearden

BY: David Gonsalves

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Attorney in fact

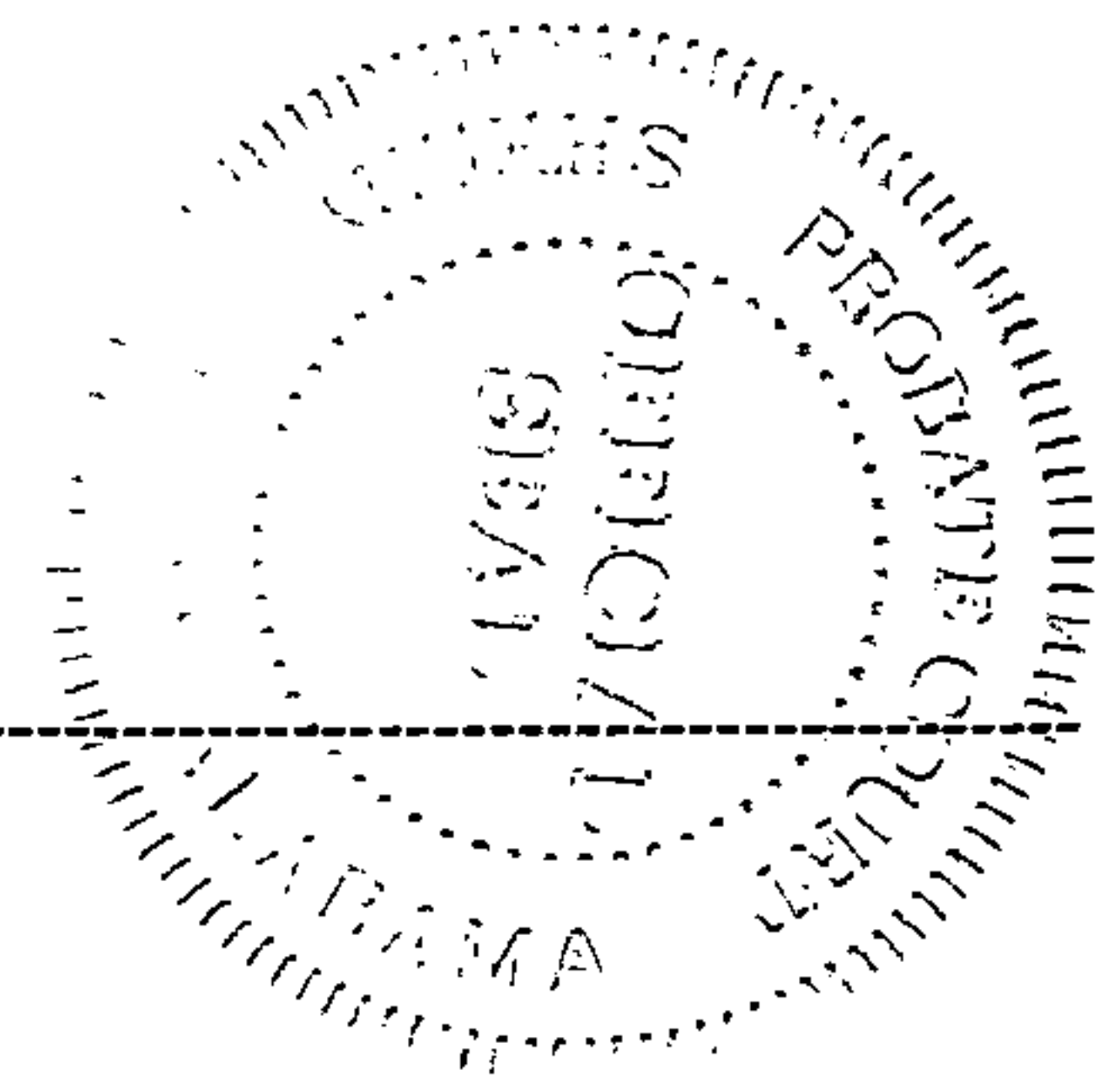


BY: Stacey Bearden

Stacey Bearden
Principal

Approved and ordered of Record this 5 day of Sept, 2025.

Ann S. Byrd
Judge of Probate Court



OATH OF OFFICE

STATE OF ALABAMA

Shelby COUNTY

I, Stacey Bearden do solemnly affirm/swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States
and the Constitution of the State of Alabama, so long as I remain a citizen thereof; and that I will honestly and faithfully
discharge the duties of the office upon which I am about to enter, to the best of my ability, so help me God.

Stacey Bearden
(Signature of Appointee)

Subscribed and sworn before me this 5th day of September 2025

Brittany Herold
Notary Public

My Commission expires 7-14-2026



JET INSURANCE COMPANY

POWER OF ATTORNEY



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NOW ALL BY THESE PRESENTS: That **JET INSURANCE COMPANY**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of North Carolina, having its principal office in Charlotte, North Carolina does hereby constitute and appoint

Name

David Gonsalves

Limit of Liability per Bond

\$50,000.00

its true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-fact to execute, seal and deliver for and on its behalf as surety, any and all bonds, undertakings, contracts of indemnity, recognizances and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, which are or may be allowed, required or permitted by law, statute, rule, regulation, contract or otherwise, provided that the liability of such shall not exceed the limit stated above.

The execution of such instrument(s) in pursuance of these presents, shall be as binding upon **JET INSURANCE COMPANY** as fully and amply, to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been duly executed and acknowledged by its regularly elected officers at the principal office.

The Power of Attorney is executed and may be certified so, and may be revoked, pursuant to and by authority of the following resolutions adopted by the Board of Directors of **JET INSURANCE COMPANY** by unanimous written consent dated August 03, 2018, of which the following is a true excerpt:

RESOLVED that the President, or any Vice President, acting with any Secretary or Assistant Secretary, shall have power and authority to appoint Attorney(s)-in-fact, and to authorize them to execute on behalf of the Company, attach the Seal of the Company thereto and deliver, bonds, undertakings, contracts of indemnity, recognizances and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof; to prescribe their respective duties and the respective limits of their authority; and to revoke, at any time, any such Attorney-in-fact and revoke the authority given.

Further, this Power of Attorney is signed and sealed by facsimile pursuant to resolution of the Board of Directors of the Company adopted by unanimous written consent dated August 3, 2018, of which the following is a true excerpt:

RESOLVED that the signature of any authorized officer and the Seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile to any Power of Attorney or certification thereof authorizing the execution on behalf of the Company and delivery of any bond, undertaking, contract of indemnity, recognizance and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, and such signature and seal when so used shall have the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, **JET INSURANCE COMPANY** has caused this instrument to be signed and its corporate seal to be affixed by its authorized officer, this 17th day of May, 2023.



JET INSURANCE COMPANY

Spencer Silino, President

Richard Popp, Secretary

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
County of Mecklenburg

On this 17th day of May, 2023 before me came the individuals who executed the preceding instrument, to me personally known, and being by me duly sworn, said that each is the herein described and authorized officer of Jet Insurance Company; that the seal affixed to said instrument is the Corporate Seal of said Company; that the Corporate Seal and each signature were duly affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said Company.

Sara C. Holt
Notary Public, State of North Carolina
County of Mecklenburg
My Commission Expires 09/11/2027

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand at Jet Insurance Company offices the day and year above written.

SARA C. HOLT
Notary Public, North Carolina
Mecklenburg County
My Commission Expires
September 11, 2027

I, Richard Popp, Secretary of **JET INSURANCE COMPANY**, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Power of Attorney executed by **JET INSURANCE COMPANY**, which is still in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have thereunto set my hand and attached the seal of said Company this 13th day of August, 2025.



Richard Popp, Secretary

Allison S. Boyd
Judge of Probate

Kimberly A. Melton
Chief Clerk



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Probate Court of Shelby County, Alabama

Post Office Box 825 • Columbiana, Alabama 35051
website: www.shelbyal.com/285/Probate-Court

Below you will find your Commission as a Notary Public. Please detach the commission card and keep it in a secure place. If your commission is being renewed this card will replace any previously issued commission card. Note that your commission card indicates the term of your current commission and it is important that you begin the renewal process in advance of the expiration of your commission to ensure there is no break in service.

The office of Notary Public is a serious and responsible public office and should not be taken lightly. Abuse of the office or irresponsibility in the performance of notarial duties can result in grave consequences. If a Notary Public has doubts about the propriety of any action, he or she should seek competent professional advice before he or she acts.

A Notary Public is a public officer whose function it is:

1. To administer oaths; and
2. To attend and certify, by his signature and official seal, certain classes of documents, in order to give them credit and authenticity; and
3. To take acknowledgments of deeds and other conveyances and certify the same; and
4. To perform certain official acts, chiefly in commercial matters, such as the protesting of notes and bills, the notice of foreign drafts, and marine protests in cases of damage.

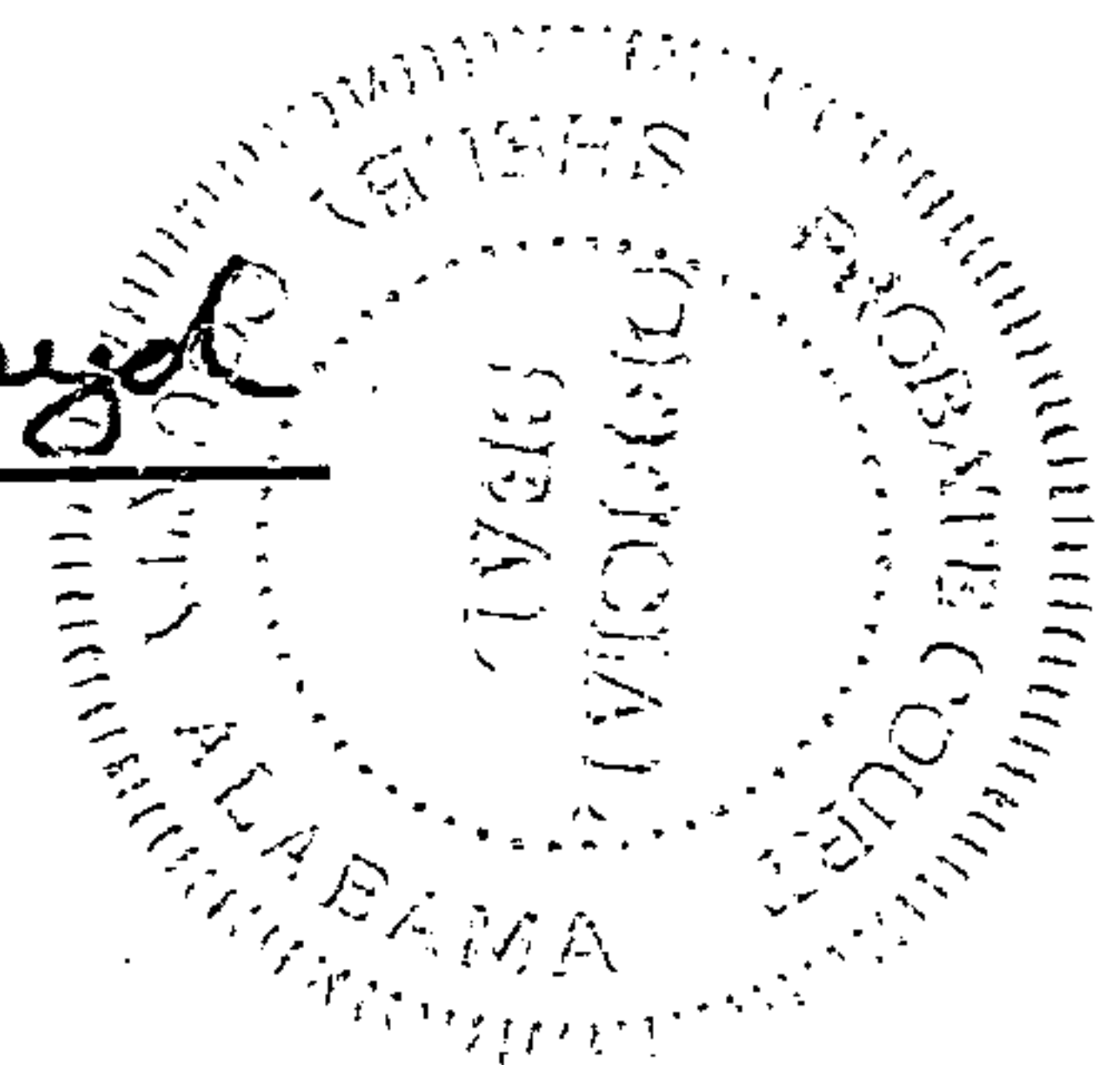
You will need to obtain your notarial seal prior to performing any official acts. It is required that your notarial seal reflect your name as stated in the below commission card.

NOTARY PUBLIC COMMISSION

In the name of the State of Alabama and pursuant to the authority granted me as Judge of Probate for Shelby County, I hereby Commission Stacey Bearden as Notary Public for the State at Large for the term beginning on 09/05/2025 and ending on 09/05/2029.



Allison S. Boyd
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JUDGE OF PROBATE





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State of Alabama	APPLICATION FOR NOTARY PUBLIC COMMISSION (MUST BE A RESIDENT OF COUNTY WHERE APPLICATION IS MADE)	In the Probate Court of County
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\$10.00* APPLICATION FEE IS DUE AT THE TIME APPLICATION IS SUBMITTED

Date: 06-18-25

- Name: Stacey Tate Bearden
(Print your name as it appears on driver's license, non-driver ID, or other current valid photo ID)
- Home Address: 299 Hwy 438 Apt/Suite #: _____
- City/State/Zip: Wilsonville AL 35186 County of Residence Shelby
- Mailing Address (If Different): N/A
- Date Of Birth: 11/27/66 Email Address Sbearden2815@gmail.com
- Phone Numbers: Work 205-678-7900 Home 205-965-3524
- Have you ever been convicted of a felony or crime of moral turpitude? ☐ YES ☒ NO (If YES, Please Provide Details On Page 2)
- Are you currently a debtor in a bankruptcy proceeding? ☐ YES ☒ NO
- Are you currently under an order adjudicating you incapacitated? ☐ YES ☒ NO
- Are you currently or have you ever been a commissioned notary public in Alabama?
☒ YES (County Shelby Expiration Date 8/8/25) ☐ NO
- Stacey Tate Bearden
(Print Your Name Exactly As It Is To Appear On Notary Commission)

BY SIGNING BELOW I CERTIFY THAT ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN (PAGES ONE AND TWO) IS TRUE AND CORRECT AND THAT I AM ABLE AND WILLING TO COMPLETE THE MANDATORY TRAINING FOR NOTARY PUBLICS (UNLESS EXEMPT BY LAW) WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE DATE OF THIS APPLICATION. I FURTHER ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I UNDERSTAND THAT THE \$10.00* APPLICATION FEE IS NON-REFUNDABLE AND TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE (I.E. TIME DEADLINES ARE STRICTLY ENFORCED.)

ALL STATEMENTS CONTAINED IN THIS APPLICATION ARE MADE UNDER THE FEAR OF THE PENALTY OF PERJURY. THE CRIME OF PERJURY IS PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND/OR IMPRISONMENT.

Signature: _____

Stacey Tate Bearden

This should be your usual signature and match the name printed on Line 11.

THIS SHOULD BE THE SIGNATURE YOU USE WHEN NOTARIZING A DOCUMENT

* \$10.00 Application Fee PLUS any applicable county fees